



# COASTAL INSURANCE PUBLIC HEARING

Charleston, SC May 9, 2013



# A Safety Net For Coastal Consumers





# 5 Things You Need To Know About SC Wind

- Association Of Insurers Licensed In SC
- Membership Is Mandatory By State Law
- Insurers Are Responsible For Losses
- Not A State Agency
  - No State Funds
  - No State Liability



- Operated By A Board Of Directors
- 11 Member Insurers
- 2 Insurance Producers Appointed By DOI Director
- 4 Consumer Reps Appointed By DOI Director



- Operated As Domestic Insurer
- SC DOI Oversight
- Tri-Annual Audit
  - Financial Audit
  - Market Conduct
- Annual Report To DOI



- File CPA Audit With DOI
- File Actuarial Opinion With DOI
- SC Wind Must Respond To DOI Consumer Services
- Plan Of Operation Subject To DOI Director Approval
- DOI Director Or Deputy Attends Board Meetings



- Rate And Form Filings Subject To DOI Approval
  - State Consumer Advocate Intervenes
- Board Follows DOI Director's Lead On Consumer Issues

- www.scwind.com
- Web Lists Contact Information
- Staff Available As Speakers



## #2

# **Underwriting Factors**



- Housekeeping / Condition
- Not Over Water
- No Violation Of Law
- Insurance To Value
- NFIP Requirements



#### **Not Factors**

- Loss History
- Distance To Water
- Purchase of Flood Insurance
- "Good People"
- Agency Relationship



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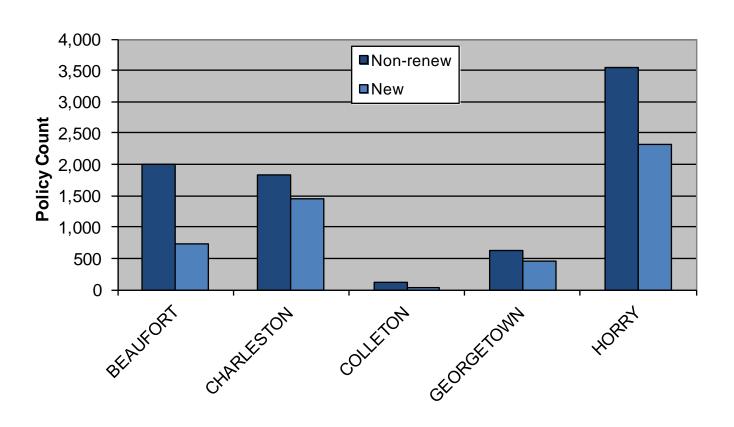
## SC Wind Is Losing Business

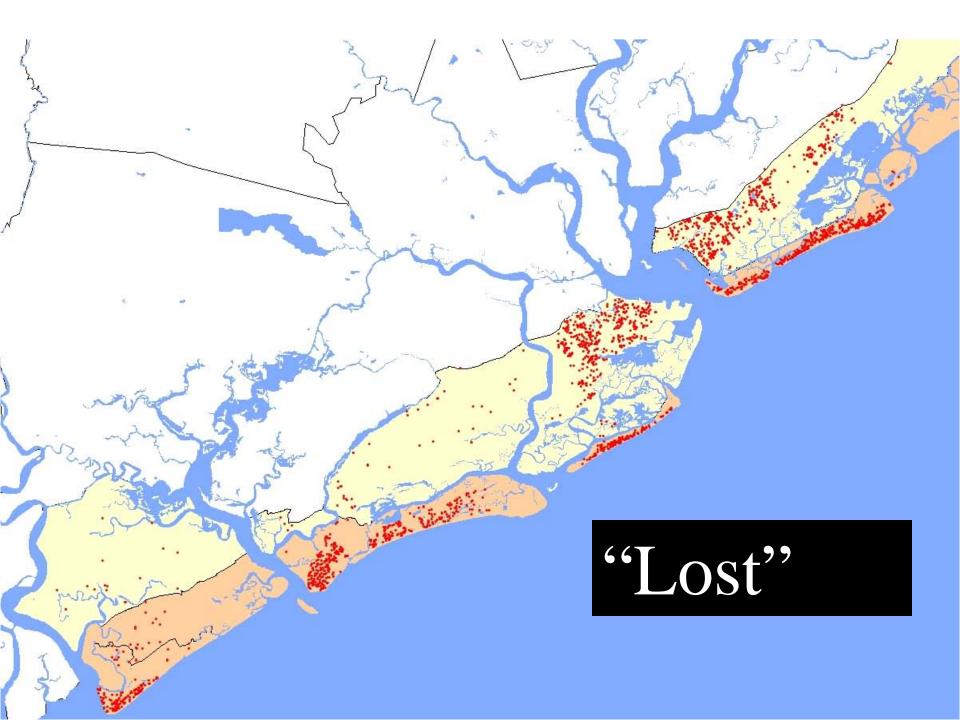
Good News!!!!
August 31, 2011 To February
28, 2013

## Difference between periods By Windpool Zone

	All business	Policy	In-force	Insured	% Change
Zone	County	Count	Premiums Premiums	Limits	Count
1	BEAUFORT	-1,317	-2,318,685	-852,678,295	-13%
1	CHARLESTON	-698	-1,020,439	-445,700,441	-13%
1	COLLETON	-79	42,184	-38,466,564	-7%
1	<b>GEORGETOWN</b>	-217	19,344	-113,915,040	-8%
1	HORRY	1,514	<b>505,700</b>	412,616,422	8%
	Change Zone 1	-3,825	-2,711,800	-1,863,376,762	-10%
2	BEAUFORT	-84	-141,145	-33,493,750	-7%
2	CHARLESTON	247	544,972	49,672,004	5%
2	COLLETON		-5,375	-1,018,900	-50%
2	<b>GEORGETOWN</b>	34	44,691	3,723,372	4%
2	HORRY	-61	104,199	-21,369,262	-2%
	<b>Change Zone 2</b>	135	547,342	-2,486,536	1%
	Overall Change	-3,690	-2,164,458	-1,865,863,298	-8%

#### Non-Renewed vs New by County









### **Supports Mitigation Efforts**



#### *ARE YOU PREPARED?*

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### **Most Important Fact**

# SC Wind Can Pay The Losses Of A Major Storm



### **Important Fact**

- Reinsurance Program
  - Spreads Losses Around The World
  - Automatically Reinstates
  - Exceeds 1-In-200 Year Storm Event
- NO! Policyholder Assessments
- Other States Cannot Pay Losses
  - NC Issues
  - Florida Issues



### **SC Wind Can Pay**

- Supports Healthy, Private Market
- Not Disruptive To Market
- Protects All Coastal Consumers



